

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Daniel R. PAVLIK et al.      Examiner: Heller, Tammie K.  
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Title: NOVEL WELDED JUNCTION FOR MEDICAL ELECTRICAL LEADS

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**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT & RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action, dated April 21, 2009 and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 13, 2009 in the above-identified application.

The one-month extension fee which was due with the original response was paid at the time of filing the response on August 21, 2009. Applicant does not believe any further fees are due with this response. However, Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies and credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.